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Applicant: Duffar et al Art Unit: TBA  
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 For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PRODUCING MONOCRYSTALS

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**  
**UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE**  
**UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed April 3, 2007, response to which is due by June 3, 2007, Applicant submits the following:

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney;
2. Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet;
3. Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US);
4. Check in the amount of \$130.00; and
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